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Dear General Doyle:

Thank you for sending me a copy of your recently published edition of "Soviet Military Capabilities." Compilation of such data in an easily read, unclassified publication is useful for acquainting the public with the nature and scope of Soviet strategic military efforts.

Sincerely,

/s/ William J. Casey

William J. Casey
Director of Central Intelligence

SA/SOVA/SIG/SPD, (22 Oct 86)

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Date Due: 22 OCT 86 (Set by Requestor)

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Nature of Problem:

DCI/DDCI REQUEST REVIEW OF SAC'S UNCLASSIFIED "SOVIET MILITARY CAPABILITIES."

Requestor: DCI

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PREPARE COURTESY RESPONSE FOR DCI'S SIGNATURE; NOTE HIGHLIGHTS FOR DCI/DDCI IN COVER MEMO FOR D/SOVA'S SIGNATURE. PASS RESPONSE THROUGH DDI.

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NOTE TO: D/SOVA

Doug:

Please respond to request from the Executive Secretary's Office and send response through the DDI. Note the deadline is 22 October.

Thanks,



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Remarks Any highlights for DCI/DDCI and please have courtesy response prepared for DCI signature.

Executive Secretary

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Mr. William Casey
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Washington, DC 20505

Dear Mr. Casey

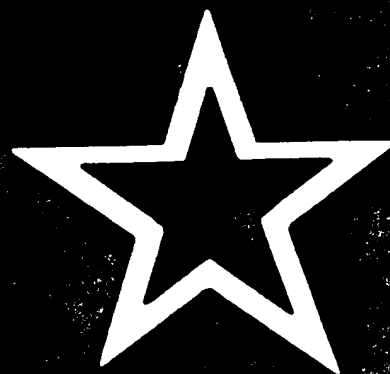
We have just published the newest edition of our unclassified "Soviet Military Capabilities" (SMC) booklet and I am forwarding a copy for your review. The SMC booklet, last published in 1981, is similar in concept to the Defense Department's "Soviet Military Power" document. The SMC booklet, however, is narrowly focused on issues of primary concern to SAC. I hope you find it interesting and enlightening.

There are limited numbers of SMC booklets available. If you require additional copies, please direct your request to Maj Fran Early, Special Presentations Division, AUTOVON 271-3132.

Sincerely

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